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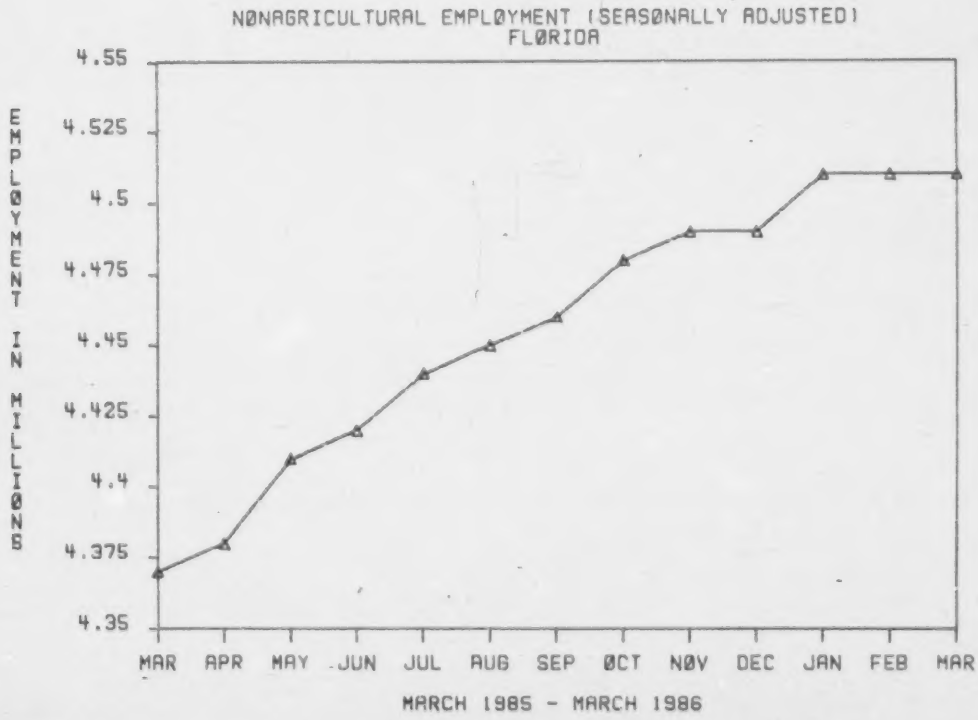
HIGHLIGHTS:
- *Nonagricultural jobs continued slower growth over the year at 3.1 percent.
- *The fastest growing industries were services and finance, insurance, and real estate.
- *The unemployment rate at 6.2 percent is almost level with the year-ago rate.
- *Florida unemployment demographics for 1985 are included in this issue.



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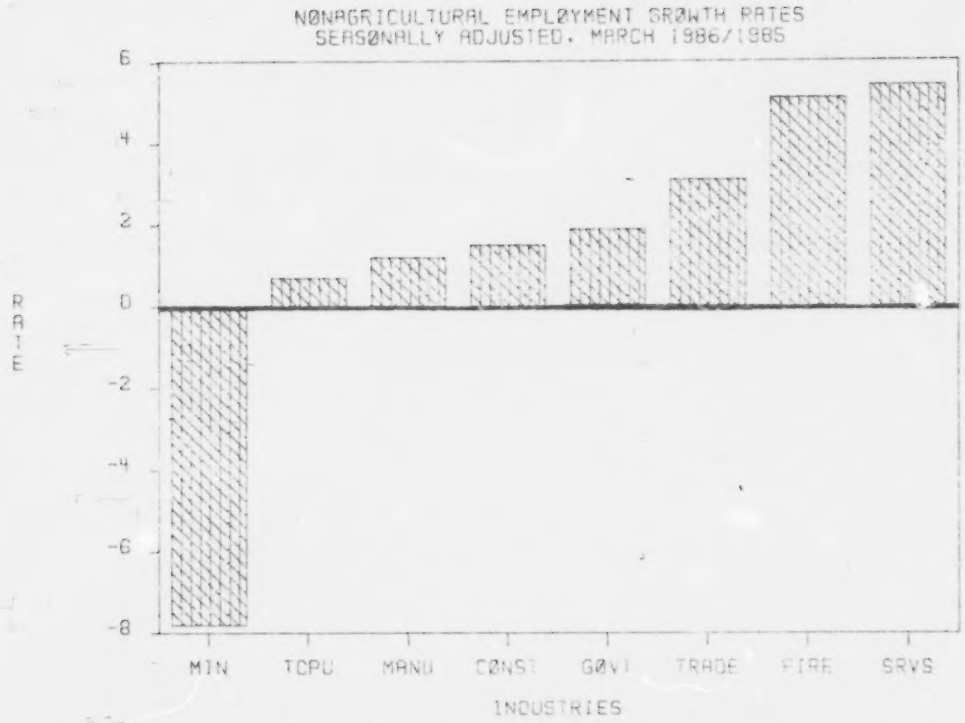

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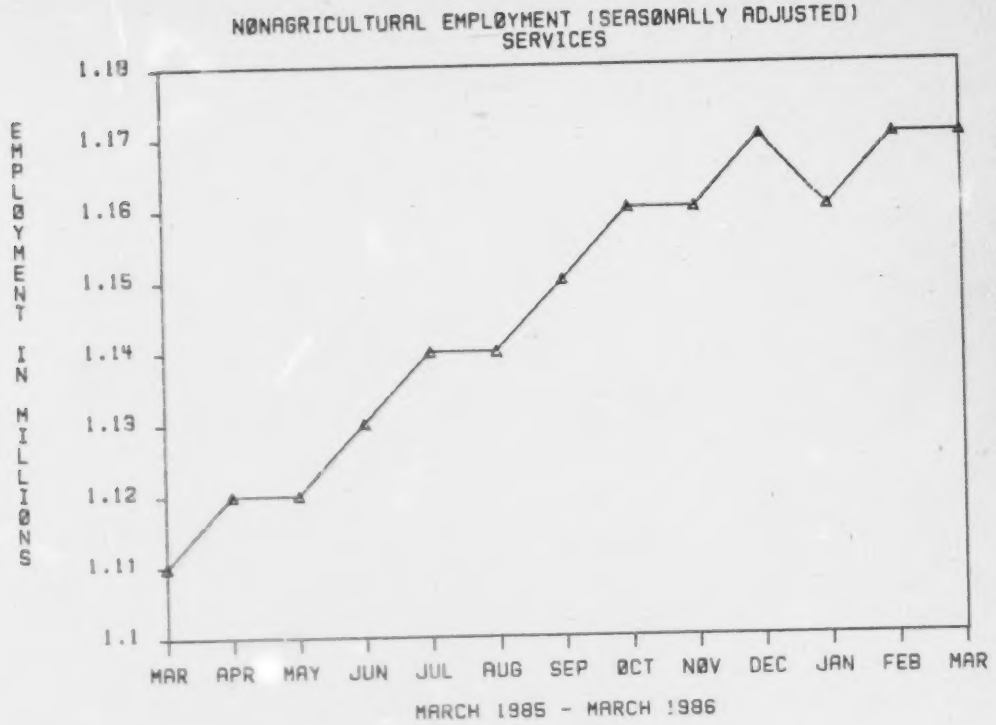
GROWTH OF NONAGRICULTURAL JOBS AT SLOWEST RATE SINCE 1983: Total nonagricultural employment grew by 3.1 percent in March over the year or by 137,300 jobs (seasonally adjusted). This is the slowest growth rate since 1983 when nonagricultural jobs grew by 3.8 percent. In 1984 average job growth was 7.8 percent and in 1985 it was 5.1 percent. Total nonfarm employment reached a level of 4,505,300 in March.

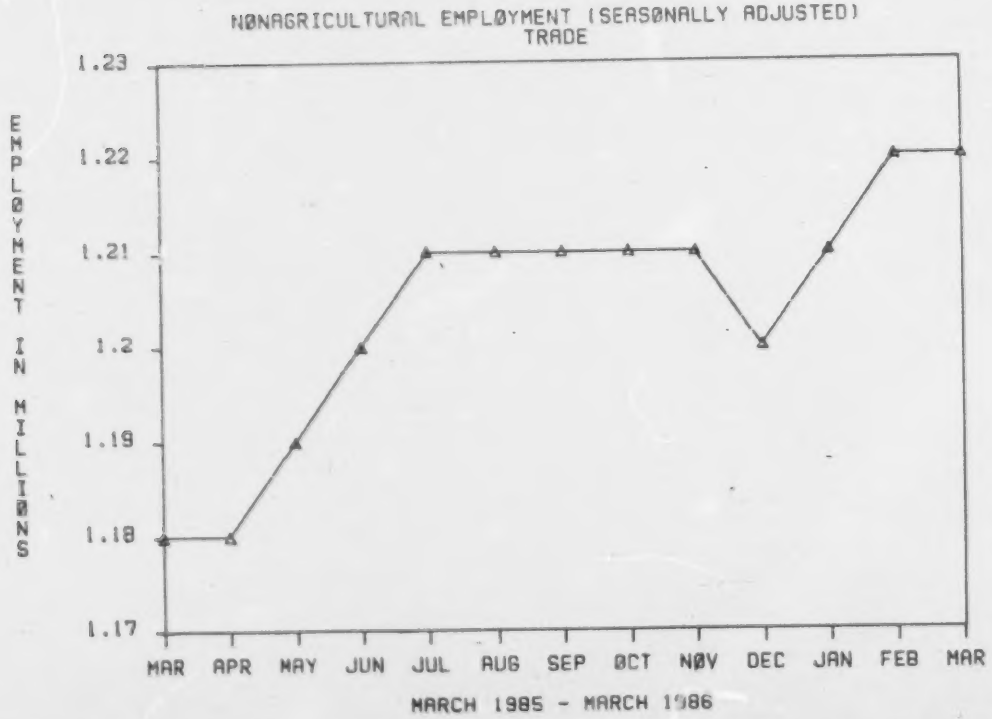
All industries except for mining gained jobs over their year-ago levels. Mining lost 800 jobs in March, at a 7.8 percent decline. The industry that experienced the highest number of new jobs over the year was services with 59,700 (5.4 percent) to reach a total employment level of 1,166,600. The largest components in the services industry were health services; business services; hotels and other lodging places; and recreation services. Services was the second largest industry barely behind trade at 1,216,200 in March.

The trade industry gained the second highest number of new jobs over the year with 36,500 at 3.1 percent. The largest components of the trade sector were eating and drinking places and food stores. As can be seen on the following graphs the rate of growth of both services and trade has slowed.

The fastest growing industries in March were services at 5.4 percent and finance, insurance, and real estate at 5.1 percent. The finance, insurance, and real estate sector is a much smaller industry than services with a March employment level of 329,200. This made up 7.2 percent of total nonagricultural jobs compared to 26.1 percent for services. Although insurance is the smallest component of this industry sector, it has experienced the most rapid growth over the year.

Both of our state's most volatile industries, construction and manufacturing, have shown some weakness over the month and year. Construction lost 3,000 jobs over the month from its peak in February. It still has gained 4,900 new jobs over the year (1.5 percent). Manufacturing employment was unchanged over the month from its peak in January. Over the year it increased by 6,200 jobs (1.2 percent). The largest components in manufacturing were electrical and electronic equipment; printing and publishing; and transportation equipment.





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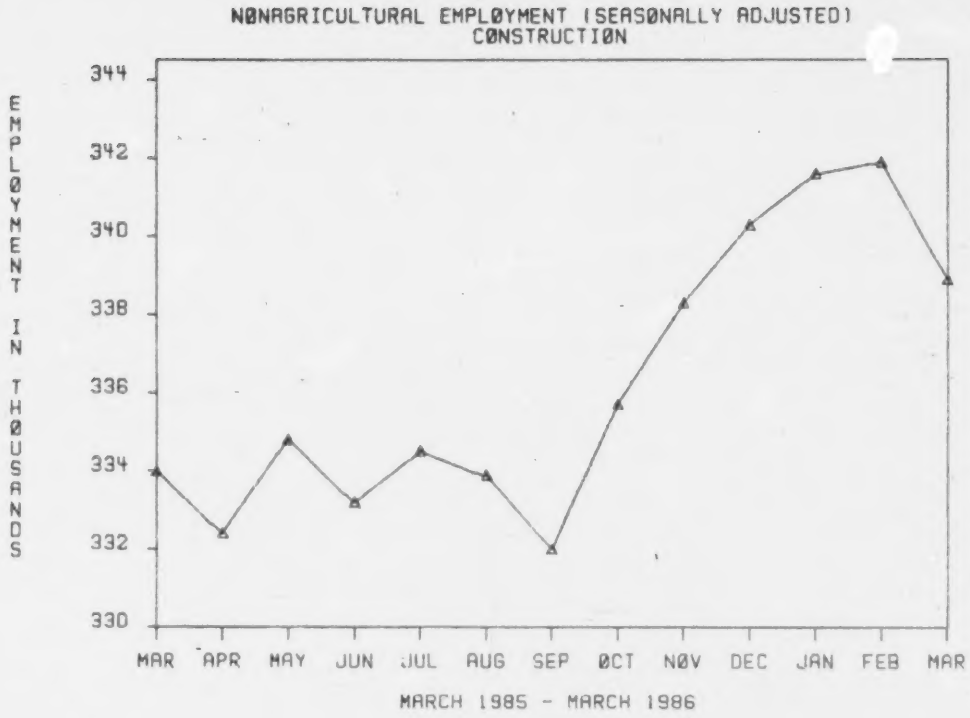

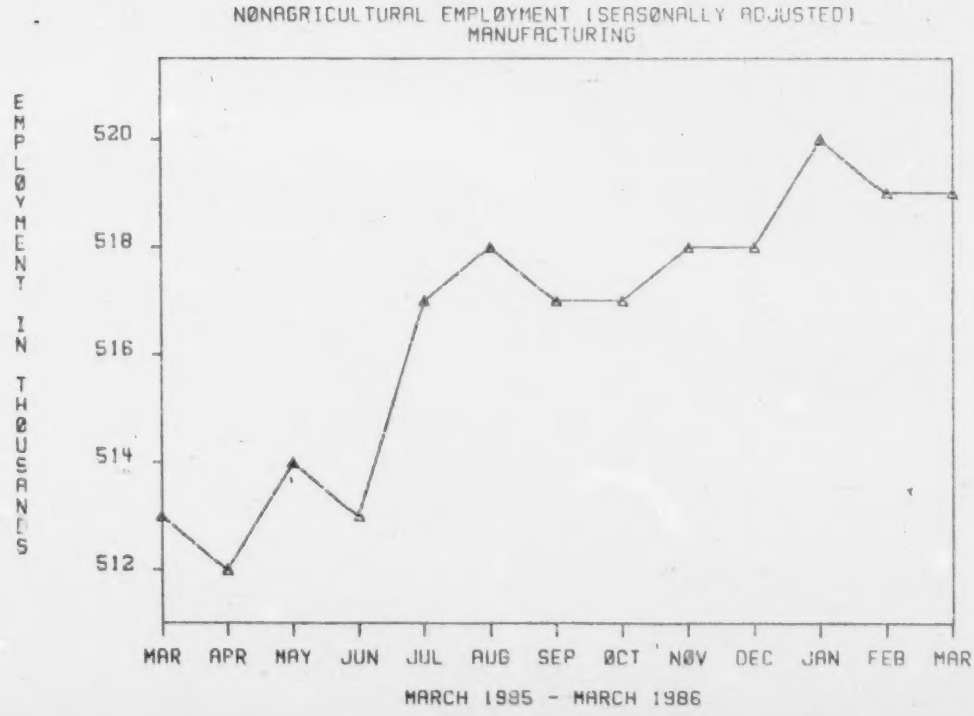

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ONLY THE SMALL STATES HAD THE FASTEST GROWTH RATES: Nonfarm payroll employment increased by 2 percent or more between March of 1985 and 1986 in 29 states and the District of Columbia. Arizona, Arkansas, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Virginia experienced the most job growth over the year, with increases in excess of 4 percent. The four states with decreases in employment over the year were Illinois, Louisiana, North Dakota, and Oklahoma. Florida has not experienced annual declines in employment since the mid 1970's.

Manufacturing employment experienced reductions in 31 states. Over half of the manufacturing job losses were in Illinois, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, and Texas. Texas also lost over 30,000 mining jobs concentrated in oil and gas extraction.

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

State of Florida	March 1986	February 1986	March 1985	Over-The-Year Numerical Change	Over-The-Year Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	5,489,000	5,423,000	5,362,000	127,000	2.4
Employment	5,147,000	5,112,000	5,025,000	122,000	2.4
Unemployment	342,000	311,000	337,000	5,000	1.5
Unemployment Rate	6.2	5.7	6.3	-0.1	---

Source: U.S Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

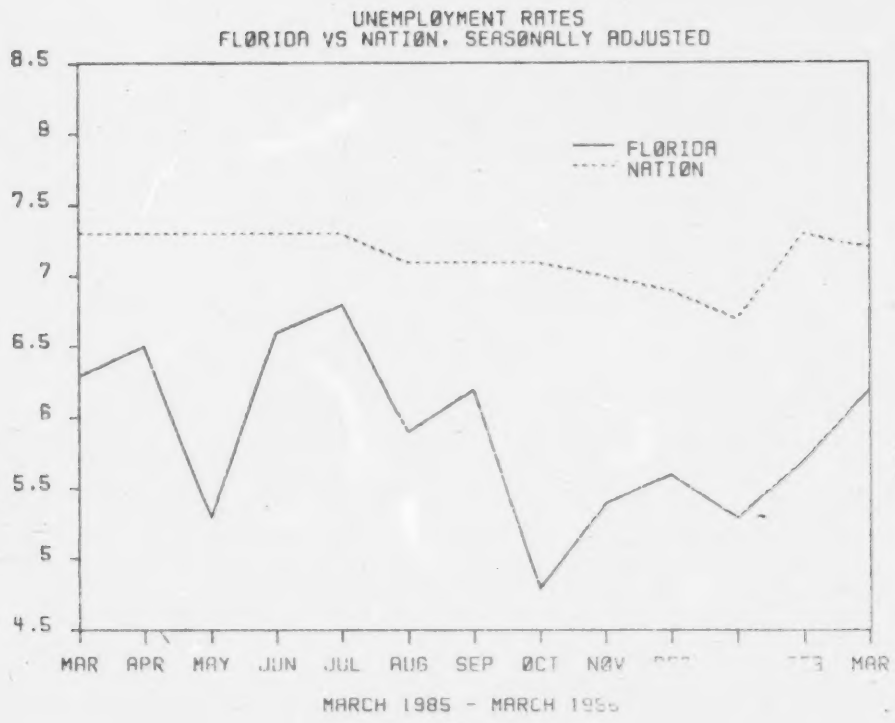
LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

State of Florida	March 1986	February 1986	March 1985	Over-The-Year Numerical Change	Over-The-Year Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	5,439,100	5,381,100	5,304,000	135,100	2.5
Employment	5,123,500	5,091,700	4,993,600	129,900	2.6
Unemployment	315,600	289,300	310,400	5,200	1.7
Unemployment Rate	5.8	5.4	5.9	-0.1	---

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

STATEWIDE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE ALMOST LEVEL WITH YEAR-AGO RATE: The seasonally adjusted statewide unemployment rate for March was 6.2 percent, representing 342,000 jobless in Florida. The year-ago rate of 6.3 percent was not significantly different from the current rate. The unemployment rate still seems to be on a slight upward trend since October 1985, but is forecasted to decline in the next few months due to lower oil prices and stronger domestic tourism. The labor force consisting of all those employed and unemployed was 5,489,000 in March.

The national unemployment rate for March was 7.2 percent. Florida's rate at 6.2 percent remained below the national rate by 1.0 percentage point. National unemployment had risen sharply in February but barely changed from February to March. The unemployment rate is above the level that prevailed at the end of last year. The national economy has reflected the considerable weakness in durable manufacturing and oil and gas extraction.



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FLORIDA'S UNEMPLOYMENT RATE WAS FOURTH LOWEST AMONG THE ELEVEN LARGEST STATES: Three large states had lower unemployment rates than Florida. They were Massachusetts at 3.7 percent, New Jersey at 4.2 percent, and North Carolina at 5.8 percent. Florida's unemployment rate was 6.2 percent. The highest unemployment rate was 8.9 percent experienced by both Illinois and Michigan.

Unemployment Rates*
Eleven Largest States, March 1986

State	Rate	State	Rate
Massachusetts	3.7	Ohio	7.4
New Jersey	4.2	Pennsylvania	7.6
North Carolina	5.8	Texas	8.1
Florida	6.2	Illinois	8.9
New York	6.7	Michigan	8.9
California	6.9		

*Unemployment rates ranked from lowest to highest.
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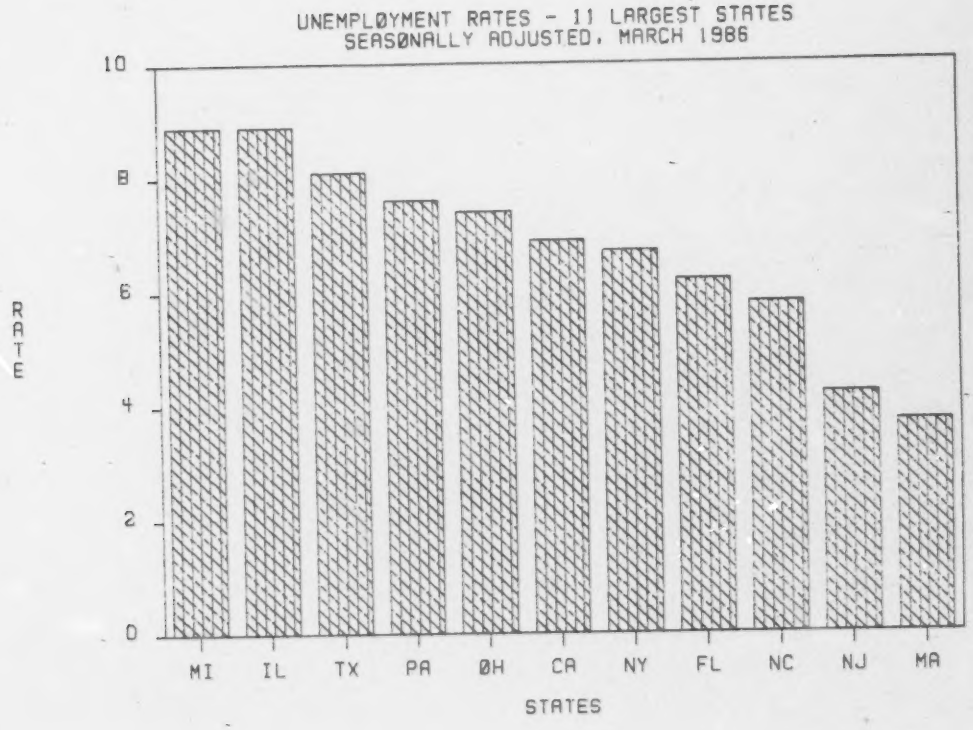

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FLORIDA UNEMPLOYMENT DEMOGRAPHICS FOR 1985: Florida unemployment rates for men dropped slightly in 1985--from 5.6 percent in 1984 to 5.3 percent in 1985. The rate for women also decreased over the year--from 7.2 percent to 6.8 percent, respectively. Teenage unemployment continued to be above that of adults and stood at 17.7 percent in 1985 compared to 17.9 percent in 1984.

Unemployment by race varied widely in Florida, averaging 4.9 percent for whites and 11.8 percent for blacks. Within racial groups unemployment for men was lower than that for women. The rate for white men averaged 4.4 percent compared to 5.5 percent for white women. Unemployment for black men stood at 10.5 percent of the labor force and for black women it was 13.2 percent.

Unemployment rates for most groups of workers were lower in Florida than the national averages. The rate for adult men in Florida was 4.6 percent compared to 6.2 percent for the nation. Adult female unemployment at 5.8 percent was lower than the national rate of 6.6 percent. White unemployment stood at 4.9 percent for Florida and 6.percent nationally, while black unemployment of 11.8 percent was lower than the U.S. rate of 15.1 percent. Florida's teenage unemployment rate at 17.7 percent was lower than the national average of 18.6 percent.

Florida 1985 Annual Averages
Civilian Noninstitutional Population
16 Years and Over

	Civilian Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
TOTAL	5,338,000	5,019,000	319,000	6.0
Men	2,969,000	2,811,000	159,000	5.3
Women	2,369,000	2,208,000	161,000	6.8
Men (20 years and over)	2,780,000	2,651,000	129,000	4.6
Women (20 years and over)	2,199,000	2,072,000	127,000	5.8
Both sexes (16-19 years)	359,000	296,000	63,000	17.7
WHITE	4,443,000	4,225,000	218,000	4.9
Men	2,491,000	2,381,000	110,000	4.4
Women	1,952,000	1,844,000	108,000	5.5
Both sexes (16-19 years)	296,000	254,000	42,000	14.2
BLACK	826,000	729,000	97,000	11.8
Men	443,000	397,000	47,000	10.5
Women	383,000	332,000	51,000	13.2
Both sexes (16-19 years)	59,000	38,000	21,000	35.9
HISPANIC	585,000	549,000	36,000	6.1
Men	344,000	326,000	18,000	5.2
Women	241,000	223,000	18,000	7.4

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey. Due to rounding, figures may not add.

Note: Because these data are based on sample estimates they are subject to sampling error. Standard error tables can be found in the 1985 Geographic Profiles of Employment and Unemployment and can be used to compute error ranges for sample estimates at the 90 percent confidence level.

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STATEWIDE
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (IN THOUSANDS)
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Published Industry Title	March Preliminary 1986	February Final 1986	March Final 1985	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Net	Percent	Net	Percent
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	4505.3	4510.9	4368.0	-5.6	-0.1	137.3	3.1
MINING (1)	9.5	9.4	10.3	0.1	1.1	-0.8	-7.8
CONSTRUCTION	338.9	341.9	334.0	-3.0	-0.9	4.9	1.5
MANUFACTURING	519.1	519.1	512.9	0.0	0.0	6.2	1.2
DURABLE GOODS (1)	315.7	314.0	306.0	1.7	0.5	9.7	3.2
NONDURABLE GOODS	203.1	204.1	206.4	-1.0	-0.5	-3.3	-1.6
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	243.6	243.0	241.9	0.6	0.2	1.7	0.7
TRADE	1216.2	1216.4	1179.7	-0.2	*	36.5	3.1
WHOLESALE (1)	254.0	253.4	245.0	0.6	0.2	9.0	3.7
RETAIL	965.2	965.8	937.5	-0.6	-0.1	27.7	3.0
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	318.1	318.8	316.3	-0.7	-0.2	1.8	0.6
FINANCE, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE (1)	329.2	327.8	313.1	1.4	0.4	16.1	5.1
SERVICES	1166.6	1169.3	1106.9	-2.7	-0.2	59.7	5.4
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	113.9	114.6	107.7	-0.7	-0.6	6.2	5.8
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	315.1	312.3	293.3	2.8	0.9	21.8	7.4
TOTAL PRIVATE	3823.1	3826.9	3698.8	-3.8	-0.1	124.3	3.4
GOVERNMENT	682.2	684.0	669.2	-1.8	-0.3	13.0	1.9

* = Less than one-tenth of one percent.

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PUBLISHED INDUSTRY TITLE	1985 MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	1986 JAN	FEB	MAR(P)	Over-the-Year Change %	NUMBER
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	4368.0	4377.2	4405.8	4416.2	4442.9	4452.9	4458.3	4480.1	4489.6	4489.5	4505.0	4510.9	4505.3	3.1	137.3
MINING (1)	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	8.7	9.4	9.5	-7.8	-0.8
CONSTRUCTION	334.0	332.4	334.8	333.2	334.5	333.9	332.8	335.7	338.3	340.3	341.6	341.9	338.9	1.5	4.9
MANUFACTURING	512.9	512.3	513.6	513.4	517.2	517.9	517.2	517.0	518.0	517.7	519.8	519.1	519.1	1.2	6.2
DURABLE GOODS (1)	306.0	306.1	307.7	308.8	308.2	309.6	309.9	309.9	311.8	312.7	313.3	314.0	315.7	3.2	9.7
NONDURABLE GOODS	206.4	205.7	206.1	205.2	206.9	207.1	207.5	208.0	207.9	207.8	205.4	204.1	203.1	-1.6	-3.3
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	241.9	243.2	244.5	244.7	244.5	242.4	241.6	243.6	244.7	245.9	243.6	243.0	243.6	0.7	1.7
TRADE	1179.7	1180.8	1191.7	1197.0	1211.2	1211.7	1209.9	1212.6	1210.0	1198.4	1212.5	1216.4	1216.2	3.1	36.5
WHOLESALE (1)	245.0	245.4	246.7	247.1	247.5	247.7	248.4	250.2	251.6	253.6	253.4	253.4	254.0	3.7	9.0
RETAIL	937.5	937.9	945.5	949.7	960.5	961.0	958.4	960.1	957.3	947.1	961.3	965.8	965.2	3.0	27.7
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	316.3	316.2	317.9	317.1	323.9	322.7	321.4	322.5	322.0	320.5	318.8	318.8	318.1	0.6	1.8
FINANCE, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE (1)	313.1	312.8	314.1	317.1	320.1	321.2	321.5	322.7	324.4	324.7	325.2	327.8	329.2	5.1	16.1
SERVICES	1106.9	1115.3	1123.2	1128.7	1136.2	1141.3	1150.4	1159.9	1163.5	1170.2	1163.9	1169.3	1166.6	5.4	59.7
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	107.7	109.7	110.3	110.7	111.9	113.8	115.6	116.2	116.6	116.7	114.9	114.6	113.9	5.8	6.2
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	293.3	293.6	295.3	296.7	297.1	299.1	300.5	302.5	304.8	307.6	309.2	312.3	315.1	7.4	21.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	3698.8	3706.2	3732.1	3744.3	3773.8	3778.4	3782.6	3801.4	3808.8	3807.1	3815.3	3826.9	3823.1	3.4	124.3
GOVERNMENT	669.2	671.0	673.7	671.9	669.1	674.5	675.7	678.7	680.8	682.4	689.7	684.0	682.2	1.9	13.0

(P) - Preliminary Estimate

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	MARCH 1986	* FEBRUARY 1986	MARCH 1985	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH AGO NO.	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH AGO PERCENT	CHANGE TO CURRENT YEAR AGO NO.	CHANGE TO CURRENT YEAR AGO PERCENT
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	4,569,600	4,540,200	4,430,300	29,400	.6	139,300	3.1
MINING	9,500	9,400	10,300	100	1.1	- 800	- 7.8
NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	8,100	8,000	8,900	100	1.3	- 800	- 9.0
PHOSPHATE ROCK	4,200	4,200	5,000	0	.0	- 800	-16.0
CONSTRUCTION	337,000	336,700	332,200	300	.1	4,800	1.4
GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	95,400	96,200	91,500	- 800	- .8	3,900	4.3
HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS	48,700	48,200	48,700	500	1.0	0	.0
SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	192,900	192,300	192,000	600	.3	900	.5
MANUFACTURING	522,100	522,000	515,900	100	.0	6,200	1.2
DURABLE GOODS	315,700	314,000	306,000	1,700	.5	9,700	3.2
LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	27,400	27,400	26,400	0	.0	1,000	3.8
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	14,000	13,800	13,100	200	1.4	900	6.9
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	24,000	24,200	23,400	- 200	- .8	600	2.6
PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	5,400	5,400	5,400	0	.0	0	.0
FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	36,600	36,200	35,700	400	1.1	900	2.5
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	45,000	44,700	45,200	300	.7	- 200	- .4
ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	81,000	80,300	77,900	700	.9	3,100	4.0
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	58,200	58,100	55,900	100	.2	2,300	4.1
INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	15,300	15,200	14,300	100	.7	1,000	7.0
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	8,800	8,700	8,700	100	1.1	100	1.1
NONDURABLE GOODS	206,400	208,000	209,900	- 1,600	- .8	- 3,500	- 1.7
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	48,300	49,300	50,200	- 1,000	- 2.0	- 1,900	- 3.8

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	MARCH 1986	FEBRUARY 1986 *	MARCH 1985	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
PRESERVED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	11,700	12,100	13,200	- 400	- 3.3	- 1,500	-11.4
TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	1,900	1,900	2,000	0	.0	- 100	- 5.0
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	.0	0	.0
APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	31,500	31,800	33,200	- 300	- .9	- 1,700	- 5.1
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	15,300	15,300	15,100	0	.0	200	1.3
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	59,700	59,600	57,400	100	.2	2,300	4.0
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	24,900	25,200	26,700	- 300	- 1.2	- 1,800	- 6.7
PETROLEUM PRODUCTS	2,100	2,100	1,900	0	.0	200	10.5
RUBBER AND MISCELLANEOUS PLASTICS PRODUCTS	17,700	17,900	18,200	- 200	- 1.1	- 500	- 2.7
LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	2,600	2,500	2,800	100	4.0	- 200	- 7.1
TRANSPORTATION, COMM., ELECT., GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	243,600	243,000	241,900	600	.2	1,700	.7
TRANSPORTATION	136,500	136,300	134,100	200	.1	2,400	1.8
RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION	8,100	8,100	8,800	0	.0	- 700	- 8.0
LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT	8,100	7,900	7,900	200	2.5	200	2.5
TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	46,200	46,500	46,300	- 300	- .6	- 100	- .2
WATER TRANSPORTATION	14,900	15,000	15,400	- 100	- .7	- 500	- 3.2
TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	43,900	43,700	40,600	200	.5	3,300	8.1
COMMUNICATION	71,900	71,800	73,800	100	.1	- 1,900	- 2.6
ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	35,200	34,900	34,000	300	.9	1,200	3.5
TRADE	1,235,500	1,223,300	1,198,500	12,200	1.0	37,000	3.1
WHOLESALE TRADE	254,000	253,400	245,000	600	.2	9,000	3.7
DURABLE GOODS	149,700	148,900	145,000	800	.5	4,700	3.2

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	MARCH 1986	FEBRUARY* 1986	MARCH 1985	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
NONDURABLE GOODS	104,300	104,500	100,000	- 200	- .2	4,300	4.3
RETAIL TRADE	981,500	969,900	953,500	11,600	1.2	28,000	2.9
BLDG. MAT.,GARDEN SUPL.,AND MOBILE HOME DEALERS	44,400	44,000	40,600	400	.9	3,800	9.4
GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORES	120,000	118,400	117,500	1,600	1.4	2,500	2.1
FOOD STORES	162,900	162,800	156,000	100	.1	6,900	4.4
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS AND SERVICE STATIONS	108,900	108,000	102,900	900	.8	6,000	5.8
APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	53,800	53,300	51,600	500	.9	2,200	4.3
FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHING STORES	48,100	47,700	46,900	400	.8	1,200	2.6
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	333,000	324,600	33 ,200	8,400	2.6	1,800	.5
MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES	110,400	111,100	106,800	- 700	- .6	3,600	3.4
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	329,200	327,800	313,100	1,400	.4	16,100	5.1
BANKING	72,100	72,000	70,000	100	.1	2,100	3.0
CREDIT AGENCIES OTHER THAN BANKS	59,500	59,400	55,600	100	.2	3,900	7.0
INSURANCE CARRIERS	52,400	52,200	49,500	200	.4	2,900	5.9
INSURANCE AGENTS, BROKERS, AND SERVICE	33,400	32,900	29,300	500	1.5	4,100	14.0
REAL ESTATE	87,200	86,700	86,600	500	.6	600	.7
SERVICES	1,193,200	1,180,900	1,132,400	12,300	1.0	60,800	5.4
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	124,200	120,600	117,500	3,600	3.0	6,700	5.7
PERSONAL SERVICES	59,500	58,700	59,000	800	1.4	500	.8
BUSINESS SERVICES	227,700	226,300	216,600	1,400	.6	11,100	5.1
AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, SERVICES AND GARAGES	44,200	44,300	42,600	- 100	- .2	1,600	3.8
MISCELLANIOUS REPAIR SERVICES	18,600	18,400	18,200	200	1.1	400	2.2

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	MARCH 1986	* FEBRUARY 1986	MARCH 1985	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH AGO NO.	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH AGO PERCENT	CHANGE FROM: YEAR AGO NO.	CHANGE FROM: YEAR AGO PERCENT
MOTION PICTURES	7,600	7,500	7,100	100	1.3	500	7.0
AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES	74,500	72,200	72,000	2,300	3.2	2,500	3.5
HEALTH SERVICES	315,100	312,300	293,300	2,800	.9	21,800	7.4
LEGAL SERVICES	42,300	41,800	39,700	500	1.2	2,600	6.5
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	47,800	48,100	49,000	- 300	- .6	- 1,200	- 2.4
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES	58,500	58,400	57,300	100	.2	1,200	2.1
GOVERNMENT	699,500	697,100	686,000	2,400	.3	13,500	2.0
FEDERAL	104,600	104,700	101,200	- 100	- .1	3,400	3.4
STATE AND LOCAL	594,900	592,400	584,800	2,500	.4	10,100	1.7
STATE	144,700	144,600	140,900	100	.1	3,800	2.7
LOCAL	450,200	447,800	443,900	2,400	.5	6,300	1.4

ALL INDUSTRIES ARE CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION MANUAL, 1972.
ALL DATA ARE ADJUSTED TO FIRST QUARTER 1985 BENCHMARK LEVELS.
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THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH THE COOPERATION OF LOCAL EMPLOYERS WHO FURNISH EMPLOYMENT DATA ON A MONTHLY BASIS.

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STATEWIDE	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS		
	MARCH 1986	FEBRUARY 1986 *	MARCH 1985	MARCH 1986	FEBRUARY 1986 *	MARCH 1985	MARCH 1986	FEBRUARY 1986 *	MARCH 1985
NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	368.94	372.79	396.77	43.1	42.8	46.9	8.56	8.71	8.46
PHOSPHATE ROCK	386.58	371.11	413.09	37.9	36.1	41.6	10.20	10.28	9.93
MANUFACTURING	327.59	326.38	315.50	41.0	40.9	40.5	7.99	7.98	7.79
DURABLE GOODS	336.96	336.15	327.39	41.6	41.5	41.6	8.10	8.10	7.87
LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	302.06	300.92	262.96	40.6	40.5	38.9	7.44	7.43	6.76
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	241.04	249.31	238.76	38.2	39.2	39.4	6.31	6.36	6.06
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	390.08	389.69	371.91	46.0	45.9	46.2	8.48	8.49	8.05
PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	422.86	406.59	385.67	44.7	43.3	42.9	9.46	9.39	8.99
FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	315.13	311.41	307.69	42.7	41.8	41.3	7.38	7.45	7.45
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	366.34	362.10	350.67	42.4	42.4	42.3	8.64	8.54	8.29
ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	338.22	338.99	371.07	40.7	40.5	44.6	8.31	8.37	8.32
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	384.48	377.61	338.25	40.6	40.3	37.5	9.47	9.37	9.02
INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	320.19	330.65	328.92	41.8	42.5	41.9	7.66	7.78	7.85
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	246.64	240.19	218.21	40.3	40.3	37.3	6.12	5.96	5.85
NONDURABLE GOODS	314.38	314.77	302.22	40.1	40.2	39.3	7.84	7.83	7.69
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	288.69	307.02	304.50	41.3	43.0	42.0	6.99	7.14	7.25
PRESERVED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	283.80	291.20	305.45	43.0	45.5	41.9	6.60	6.40	7.29
TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	239.45	242.63	247.13	35.9	37.1	37.5	6.67	6.54	6.59
APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	183.39	184.27	188.12	35.2	35.3	35.9	5.21	5.22	5.24
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	556.97	534.24	496.76	48.9	47.7	44.0	11.39	11.20	11.29
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	335.53	328.50	306.42	37.7	36.5	35.1	8.90	9.00	8.73
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	441.34	437.75	416.66	43.1	42.5	41.5	10.24	10.30	10.04
RUBBER AND MISCELLANEOUS PLASTICS PRODUCTS	260.94	263.76	241.49	40.9	42.0	41.0	6.38	6.28	5.89
COMMUNICATION	489.95	501.70	476.41	41.0	41.6	39.9	11.95	12.06	11.94
ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	486.75	489.18	483.75	42.5	42.5	43.0	11.50	11.51	11.25
BANKING	244.33	243.39	228.28	39.6	39.9	39.7	6.17	6.10	5.75

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FLORIDA ECONOMIC INDICATORS
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, MARCH 1986

Statewide	Current Month	Month Ago	Year Ago	Percent Change Month	Percent Change Year
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS					
Total Initial Claims	32,619	31,906	36,302	2.23	-10.15
Interstate Initial Claims	4,157	3,726	3,809	11.57	9.14
Intrastate Initial Claims	28,462	28,180	32,493	1.00	-12.41
INDUSTRY INTRASTATE CLAIMS					
Services	8,919	8,681	8,402	2.74	6.15
Trade	4,132	4,082	4,014	1.22	2.94
Construction	5,170	5,026	4,567	2.87	13.20
Manufacturing	6,078	5,629	5,968	7.98	1.84
Mining, Government, Agriculture	2,243	2,750	5,164	-18.44	-56.56
Transportation, Communications, Public Utilities	1,062	1,132	3,018	- 6.18	-64.81
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	702	742	708	- 5.39	- 0.85
Information Not Available	156	138	652	13.04	-76.07
CONTINUED CLAIMS					
Total Weeks Claimed	251,293	254,347	226,928	- 1.20	10.74
Interstate Weeks Claimed	28,706	29,753	31,626	- 3.52	- 9.23
Intrastate Weeks Claimed	222,586	224,594	195,302	- 0.89	13.97
ECONOMIC					
Housing Starts (At Annual Rates)	179,119	189,464	209,169	- 5.46	-14.37
Construction Expenditures (Thousands)	1,473,799	1,517,219	1,339,469	- 2.86	10.03
Average Hours Worked Manufacturing	41	41	41	0.00	0.00
Taxable Sales (Thousands)	8,782,209	8,714,959	7,905,919	0.77	11.08

Source: Compiled and Seasonally Adjusted by the Executive Office of the Governor, Office of Planning and Budgeting, Revenue and Economic Analysis.

Definitions: Intial Claim - Any notice of unemployment filed (1) to request a determination of entitlement to and eligibility for compensation (new claim) or (2) to begin a second or subsequent period of unemployment within a benifit year (additional claim).

Intrastate Claim - A claim filed in the same state in which the individual's wage credits were earned.

Interstate Claim - A claim filed in one state (agent) based on monetary entitlement to compensation in another state (liable).